THIRTY FIRST DAY JANUARY 15, 2008

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment. Present Jack Plathe, Chairman, Don Besch, Eugene Elsbecker, Don McGregor and Pam Wymore. Absent none.

Secondary Road foreman and Kossuth County Engineer, Richard Schiek gave an update on roads, bridges and culverts in the county.

Motion by Wymore and 2nd by McGregor to approve the following claims:

General Basic Fund

Algona Floor Design	Supplies	11.99
Algona Glass Co.	Supplies	60.00
Algona Municipal Utilities	Utilities	3039.05
Algona Plumbing & Heating	Supplies	66.45
Algona Publishing Co	Notices	290.26
Algona Storage & Development	Storage	1500.00
Alliant Energy	Utilities	877.94
Alltel	Phone	35.89
Al's Repair	Repairs	40.00
AmberWave	Equipment	40.95
Aramark Uniform Service Inc	Services	64.37
Arnold Motor Supply	Parts	109.50
Bancroft Register Jerry D Wise		266.13
Bitz Small Engines	Supplies	29.48
Bomgaars Supply Inc. Accounts	Supplies	211.26
Bremer County Sheriff	Services	15.50
Bugs N' Stuff Channon's Pest C		64.00
Card Services	Supplies	965.62
Carpenter Uniform Company	Supplies	182.51
Central Iowa Distributing	Supplies	188.50
Charterhouse Publishing Co	Supplies	35.76
Chrome Country Inn	Meals	3965.50
Chrome Truck Stop	Supplies	2.88
Computer Systems	Equipment	44.95
Dollar General Charged Sales	Supplies	20.00
Dump-It Inc.	Services	268.00
Dust-Tex Service	Services	69.70
Electronic Engineering Co	Services	40.00
Fast Oil	Services	128.74
Gary's Plumbing & Heating	Repairs	37.50
Greenberg Auto Supply	Parts	23.18
Hancock County Sheriff	Services	101.40
Rose Hattiberg	Supplies	40.00
Todd M. Holmes	Expenses	188.35
Hometown Distributing LLC	Supplies	122.50
Hutzells Inc	Supplies	57.07
Hy Vee Food Store	Supplies	174.99
Iowa County Recorders Assoc De		200.00
Iowa Lakes Electric Coop	Utilities	135.76
IOS Office Elements 713 Nebras		44.66
Jacks OK Tire Service	Services	315.45
Judicial Dialog Systems	Supplies	341.80
Kemco Tires Inc	Services	990.63
KRHC-Hospital	Allocation	17998.28
Kossuth County Sheriff	Services	184.83
Lake Equipment Inc	Dishwasher	1444.00
Mason City Business Systems	Data Equipment	31.95
Mediacom LLC	Internet	599.70
Mid States Organized Crime Inf		100.00
North Iowa Lumber & Design	Supplies	310.02
Northwest Communications	Supplies	66.25
Oakcrest Funeral Services	Services	1530.46
OMB's Express Police Supply	Supplies	91.98
Pet Kingdom	Supplies	17.00
Printing Plus	Supplies	182.75
Quill Corporation	Supplies Phone	53.52
QWEST		304.42 196.51
Renaissance Savery Hotel Roethler Electric % Mike Roeth	Lodging	
voernier Fredring & Mike Koern	DET ATCER	652.10

The Sidwell Company	Mapping	363.30
Solutions		
	Web Hosting	500.00
Stanley Security Solutions	Supplies	398.66
Streichers	Supplies	224.98
Swea City Herald Press Jerry D	Notices	243.13
Steve Taphorn	Sanitarian	500.00
The Water Connection	Supplies	22.04
U S Postmaster	Postage	130.00
United Building Centers	Supplies	14.18
United States Cellular	Phone	819.92
US Bank	Expenses	275.54
Waste Management	Services	58.36
Diane Weisbrod	Expenses	9.28
Wiltgens Jewelers Inc	Supplies	45.00
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Winnebago County Sheriff	Services	70.26
General Supplemental		
Concrar Suppromonear		
IMWCA	Insurance	8941.00
Secondary Road Fund		
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Airgas North Central	Supplies	81.07
Algona Machine & Supply	Repairs	50.65
Algona Municipal Utilities	Utilities	556.54
Alliant Energy	Utilities	2408.54
Arnold Motor Supply The Merril		50.23
Bancroft Municipal Utilities	Utilities	176.52
Business & Legal Reports	Supplies	75.41
CATCO Parts and Service	Repairs	597.32
Cellular Dimensions, LLC	Supplies	75.75
	Suppies	50.13
Cintas First Aid & Safety		
City of Ledyard	Utilities	55.50
City of LuVerne	Utilities	78.15
City of Swea City	Utilities	25.91
Cook's Scrap Iron & Metal	Supplies	58.61
Ed's Conoco Service	Tire repair	255.80
Fenton Coop Telephone	Phone service	20.00
Fort Dodge Machine & Supply		975.00
	Repairs	
Don Goede Snap-On Tools	Supplies	19.95
Greenberg Auto Supply	Repairs	1573.65
Heartland Power Company	Lighting	48.00
HicktoryTech	Phone service	82.51
Humboldt County REC	Lighting	280.00
Interstate Battery of Upper IA	2 2	235.90
Jacks OK Tire Service		3396.50
	Tires/Repairs	
K & H Coop Oil Co	Fuel	29760.16
Kemco Tires Inc	Tire repair	156.57
KOFAB	Repairs	480.00
Lone Rock CO-OP Tel Co.	Phone	69.40
MaxYield Cooperative	Fuel	152.66
Mid American Energy	Utilities	1732.80
Midwest Building Materials, In		56.05
Momar	Supplies	370.57
North Iowa Lumber & Design	Supplies	768.09
QWEST	Phone	42.36
River Valley Truck Centers	Repairs	945.68
Tyler Sparks	Mileage	45.90
St. Lukes Center for Occ Hlth	Services	180.00
Superior Lamp & Supply	Supplies	456.75
Titonka-Burt Communication	Phone	26.01
Truck Country "OF IOWA"	Repairs	1791.61
United Building Centers	Supplies	170.17
Vander Haags Inc	Repairs	1335.00
W & H Coop Oil Co	Fuel	21924.81
Waste Management	Fees	184.41
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David Workman	Mileage	117.00
Ziegler Inc	Equipment	173631.94
Nature Center Project		
Jack Rosenberg Electric	Services	7339.15
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Kossuth County Self Insur		
Community Health Kossuth Regio	Immunizations	87.50

Wellmark Blue Cross and Blue S	December Fees	63388.35
Conservation Reserve		
Custom Countertops & More Gerald Janssen Pioneer Hi Bred International Plastic Recycling Of Iowa Fall Schumacher's Nursery Trophy Shop		324.00 1250.00 150.00 281.40 206.85 846.50
Transfer Station		
Algona Machine & Supply Arnold Motor Supply The Merril Cannon Moss Brygger & Assoc Deitering Brothers Electronic Specialties Environmental Services of IA Humboldt County REC K & H Coop Oil Co Mason City Overhead Door Co Midwest Building Materials, In Mueske Electric, Inc. Sign Works Ink Titonka-Burt Communications	Services Repairs Equipment Services Utilities Fuel Repairs Supplies Service Signs Service	538.26 15.49 189.30 244.84 798.00 1270.00 500.26 1615.00 95.00 161.53 321.00 1895.00 80.65
Waste Management Ziegler Inc	December Services Repairs	33841.21 5714.76

Ayes 5, Nays 0. Motion carried unanimous.

Motion by Elsbecker and 2nd by Wymore to approve the minutes as read. Ayes 5, Nays 0. Motion carried unanimous.

Motion by Wymore and 2nd by Besch to approve the agenda. Ayes 5, Nays 0. Motion carried unanimous.

Public discussion and committee reports were held.

Motion by McGregor and 2nd by Besch to approve assignment of Tax Sale Certificate 199100484, Parcel #7502201251004 for \$1000 with \$10 assignment fee. Ayes 5, Nays 0. Motion carried unanimous.

Motion by McGregor and 2nd by Elsbecker to approve the following Notice of Public Hearing and Resolution Authorizing Sale of County Owned Real Estate and set date of February 12, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. Aves 5, Navs 0. Motion carried unanimous.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SALE OF COUNTY OWNED REAL ESTATE

WHEREAS; Kossuth County is the record title holder of the following parcel of real estate, to wit:

All of that part of the Southeast Quarter (SE ½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW ½) of Section Eight (8), Township Ninety-eight (98) North, Range Thirty (30), West of the 5th P.M., beginning at a point 33 feet North of the corner-stone at the Southeast (SE) corner of the Northwest Quarter (NW ¼) of said Section Eight (8), thence North 375 feet, thence West 550 feet, thence South 375 feet, thence East 550 feet, to the point of beginning, containing 4.73 acres.

WHEREAS; Iowa Code Sections 331.361(2) and 331.305 require a public hearing and a notice of this resolution authorizing same; and

WHEREAS; it has been determined that it would be in the best interest of the county to sell this parcel;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Kossuth County Board of Supervisors that a public hearing will be held in the board room in the Kossuth County Courthouse at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 12, 2008, to obtain public comments on the proposed sale.

It is your privilege to attend said hearing to express your views concerning the proposed sale or your may submit your written comments to the Kossuth County Auditor no later than 4:00 p.m., Monday, February 11, 2008.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 15th day of January, 2008.

Jack Plathe, Chairperson Kossuth County Board of Supervisors
ATTEST:
Joann Bormann
Kossuth County Auditor

Motion by Besch to set 56% reduction of Compensation Board which would be 2.64%. There was no second to the motion.

Motion by McGregor and 2nd by Elsbecker to set 35% reduction of Compensation Board, which would be 3.9% for wages. Roll Call Vote: Besch pass, Elsbecker yes, McGregor yes, Wymore pass, back to Besch no, Wymore no, and Plathe no. Motion did not pass 2-3.

Motion by Wymore and 2nd by Plathe for a 45.83% reduction of Compensation Board, which would be 3.25% increase. Roll Call Vote: Besch no, Elsbecker no, McGregor no, Wymore yes, Plathe yes. Motion did not pass 2-3.

Motion by McGregor and 2nd by Elsbecker to set 40% reduction of Compensation Board recommendation which would be 3.6%. Roll Call Vote: Besch pass, Elsbecker yes, McGregor yes, Wymore yes, back to Besch no, Plathe no. Motion passed 3-2

Motion by Wymore and 2nd by McGregor to approve Cash on Hand, December 31, 2007 for Recorder. Cash on hand was \$182. Ayes 5, Nays 0. Motion carried unanimous.

Motion by Wymore and 2nd by McGregor that the Board of Supervisors of Kossuth County, Iowa, does hereby authorize and give its permission to Alliant Energy (Interstate Power & Light company), Winnebago, MN, to rebuild 2 miles of 2 phase 7.2/12.470 KV overhead line. Work will begin at the intersection of 90th Avenue and 280th Street, crossing 280th Street, and going along the west side north for one mile then cross 290th Street. Work will continue one mile north on the east side of 90th Avenue. Work will begin in Section 5, Union Township and Sections 32,29,28 and 21 Burt Township. Permit number 08-01-01 is on file in the Kossuth County Engineer's Office. Ayes 5, Nays 0. Motion carried unanimous.

Motion by Besch and 2nd by Wymore to approve purchase truck/tractor for Secondary road from Truck Country, Des Moines for \$83,020. Aves 5, Nays 0, Motion carried unanimous.

Motion by McGregor and 2nd by Wymore to purchase trailer for Secondary Road for \$28,600. Roll Call Vote: Besch no, Elsbecker yes, McGregor yes, Wymore yes, and Plathe yes. Motion carried 4-1.

Motion by Plathe and 2nd by McGregor to approve Board of Adjustment member for Airport commission, Jim Crane. Ayes 5, Nays 0. Motion carried unanimous.

Motion by McGregor and 2nd by Besch to set date for Budget Amendment Hearing, February 5, 2008 at 10:30 a.m. in the Supervisors Board Room. Ayes 5, Nays 0. Motion carried unanimous.

	On motion adjournment was taken	until January 22, 2008.	
Attest:			
	Joann Bormann	Jack Plathe, Chairman	
	Kossuth County Auditor	Kossuth County Supervisors	